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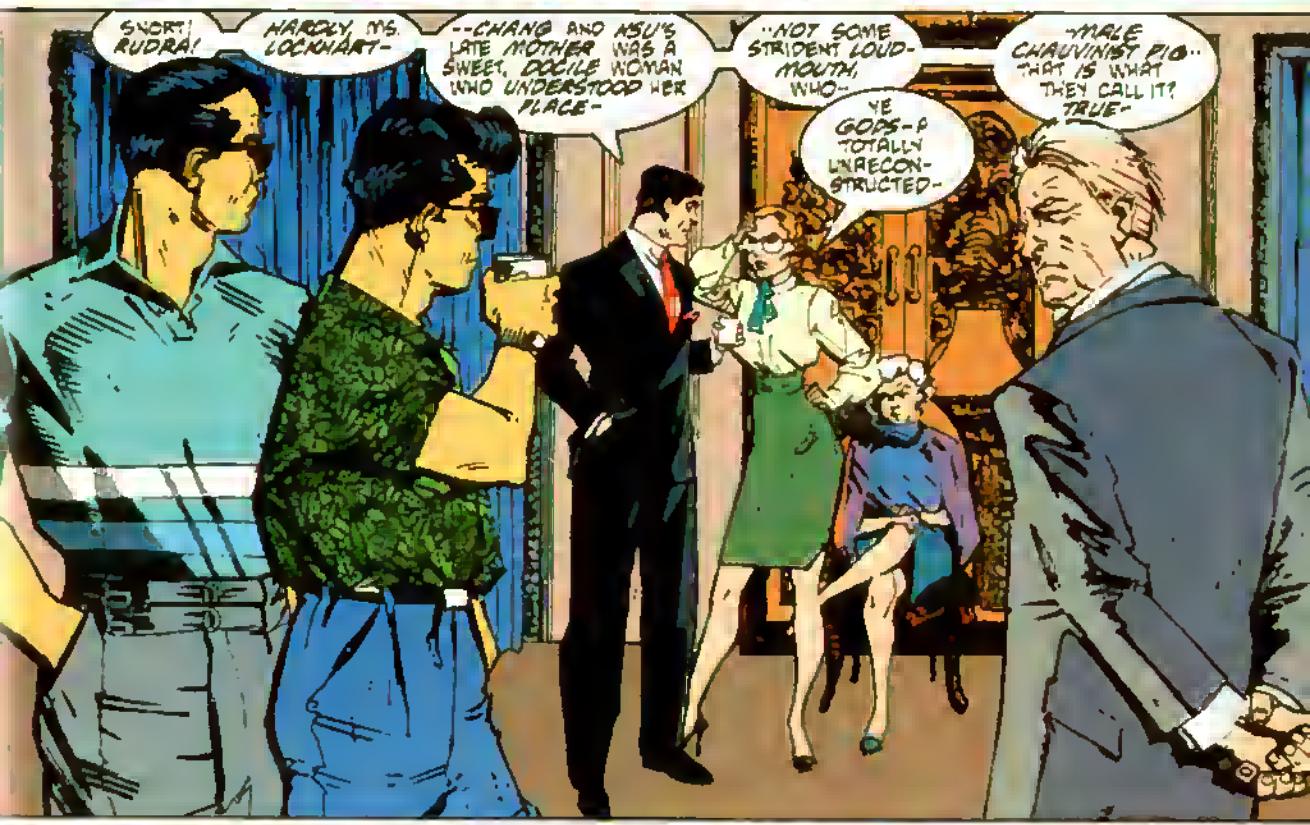
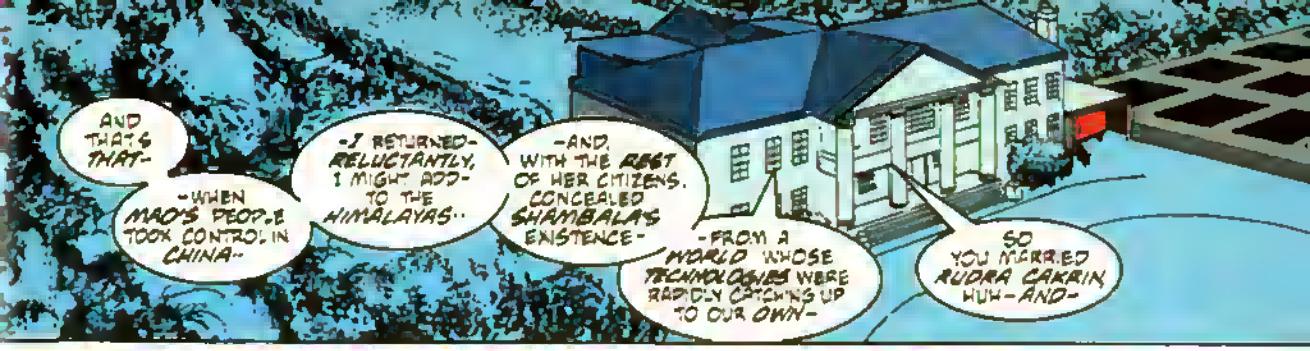
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THIRD OF FOUR ISSUES

FOR MATURE
READERS





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-EARLIER
TODAY--

THAT'S
URUMAH'S RAGIN,
MOST OF THE BURPE
VICTIMS--MOE SHREVNITZ,
JERICO DRUKE, CLIFFORD
MARSLAND--

-THESE
ARE KARFF BOYS
WHO, IN SOME
WAY, WERE TIED
UP WITH THE
SHADOW--



-WHICH IS CONFIRMED BY THE
FAILED ATTEMPT BY THOSE PUNKS
TO HIT WHOEVER HURUMAH WAS
CALLING HIMSELF THE SHADOW AT
THAT JERSEY CARNIVAL YESTERDAY--

-WHO KNOWS? LURAH
COULD BEEN THE OLD
BOY HIMSELF--
HE CARRIED
45'S--

-NOW I HEAR THAT, AT
DR. TAN'S PLACE IN
FRISCO, THE BOYS
FOUND A MESSAGE
IN BLOOD--

Shadowmania

Shadowmania

THE KING IS
BACK!
LONG LIVE
THE PRINCE!!

-SO, MAYBE IT'S
THE WORK OF BENEDICT
STARK--THE PRINCE
OF EVIL--
GET IT?

-THANK
YOU,
INSPECTOR
CARDONA--

-A BIZARRE OFFSHOOT
OF THESE CRIMES HAS
BEEN A WAVE OF WHAT
CAN ONLY BE CALLED
"SHADOWMANIA," AS--

-WHAT--?
...THIS
JUST
IN--

-EYEWITNESSES
REPORT A BREAK-IN
AT THE CHEROKEE
NUCLEAR POWER
FACILITY--

Shadowmania

Shadowmania

Shadowmania

WAKE ME UP
BEFORE YOU
GO-GO-

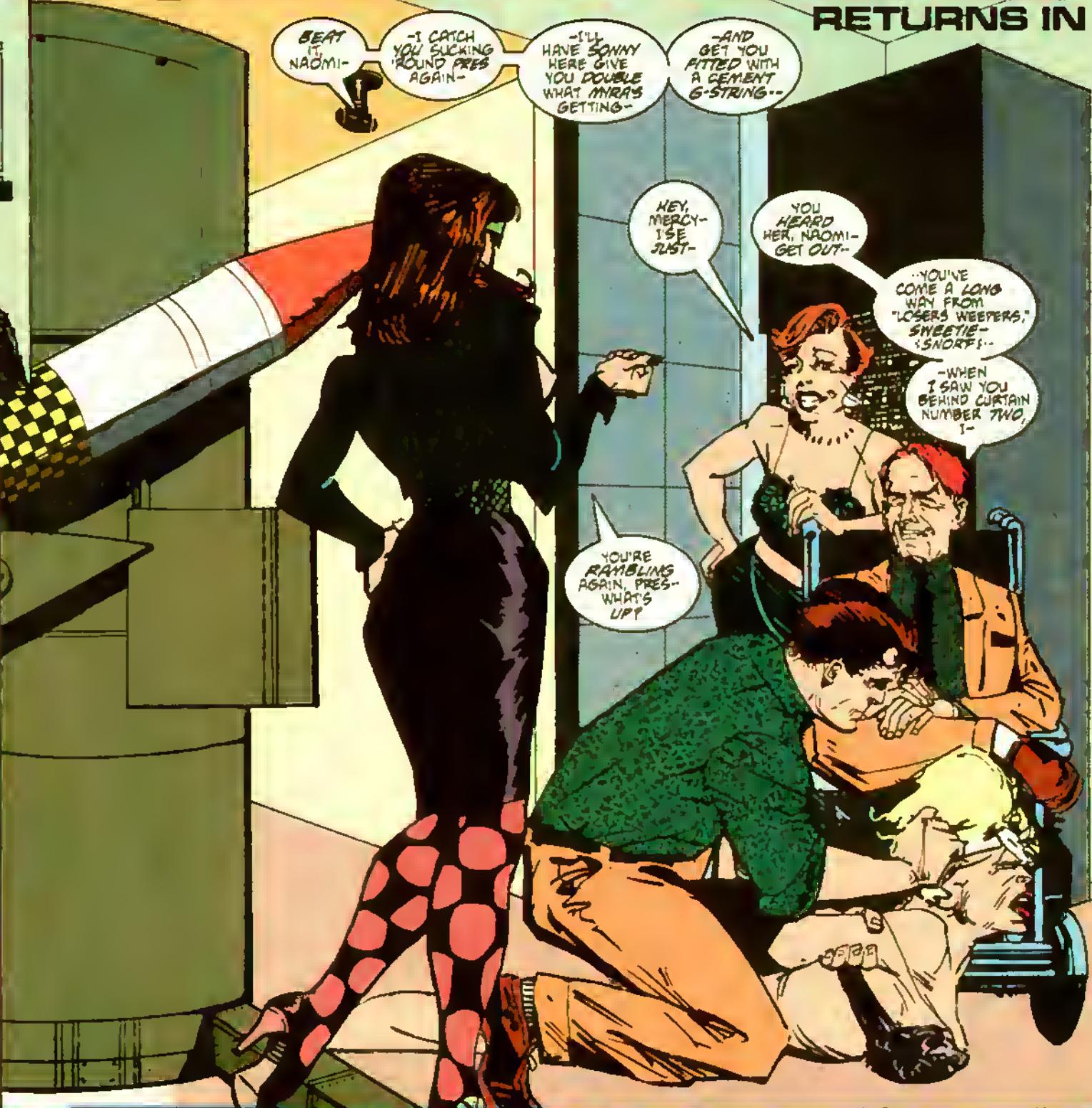
Shadowmania

-REPORTED
MISSING IS
AN UNKNOWN
QUANTITY OF
PLUTONIUM--

MERCY,
COME
HERE--

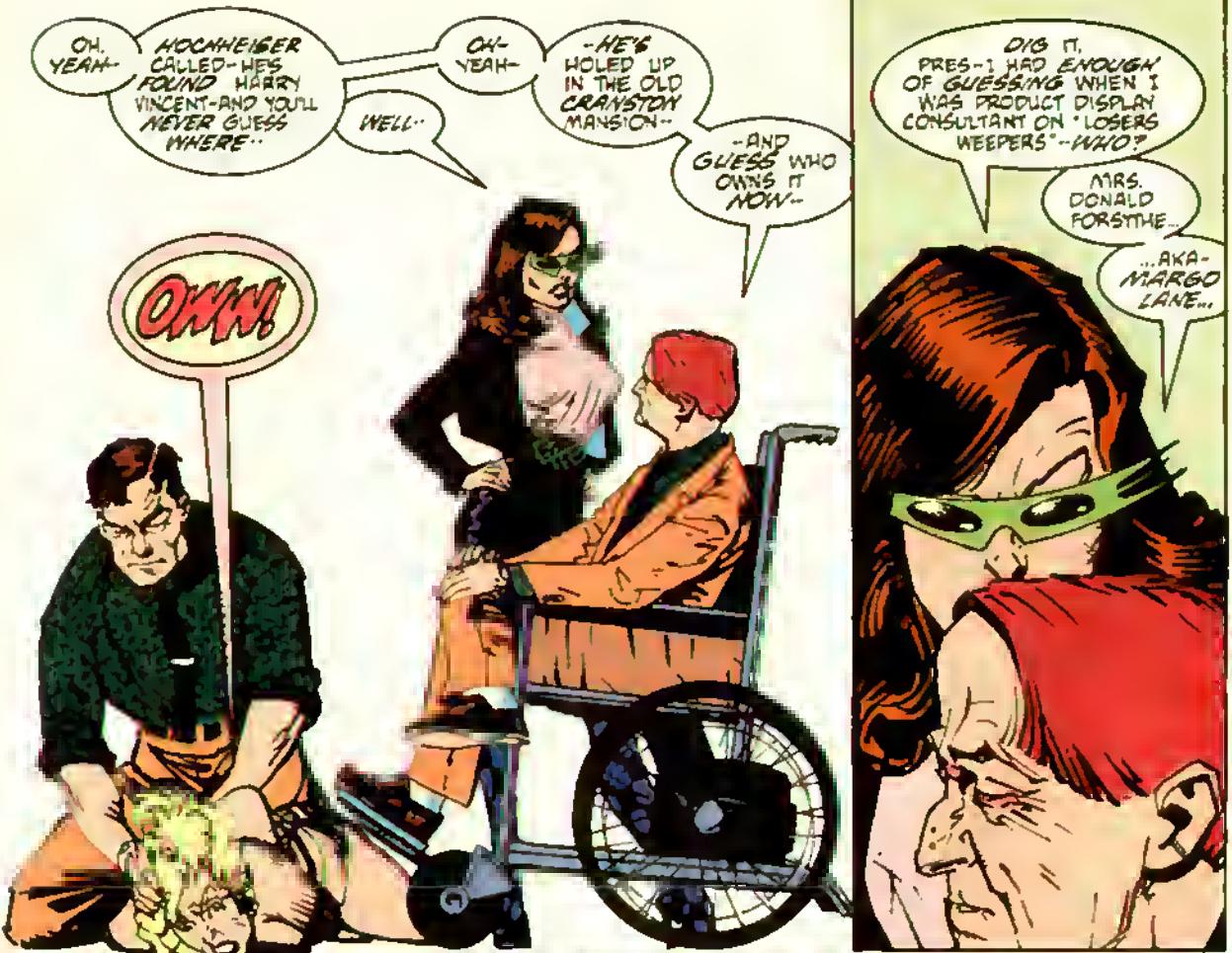
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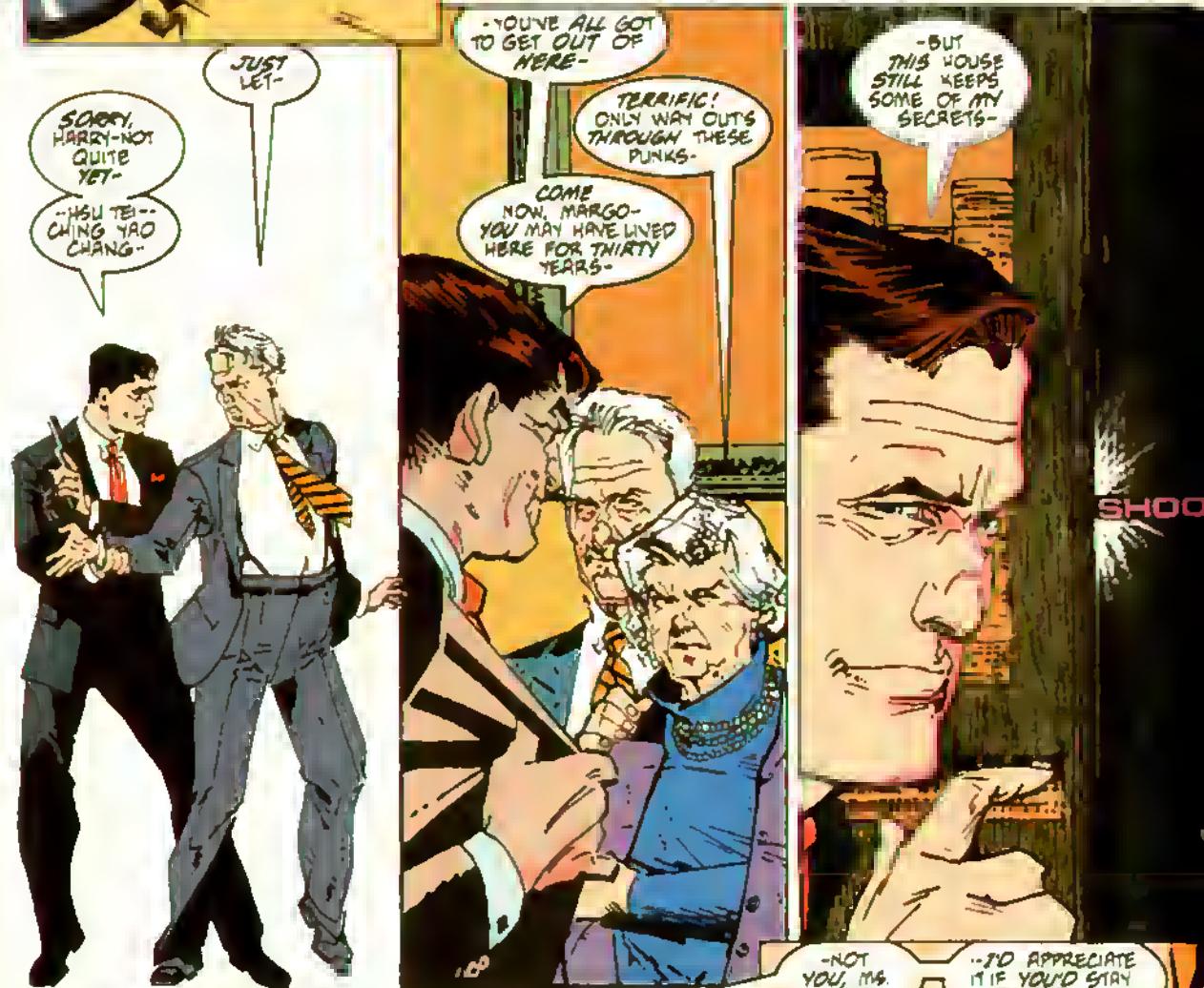


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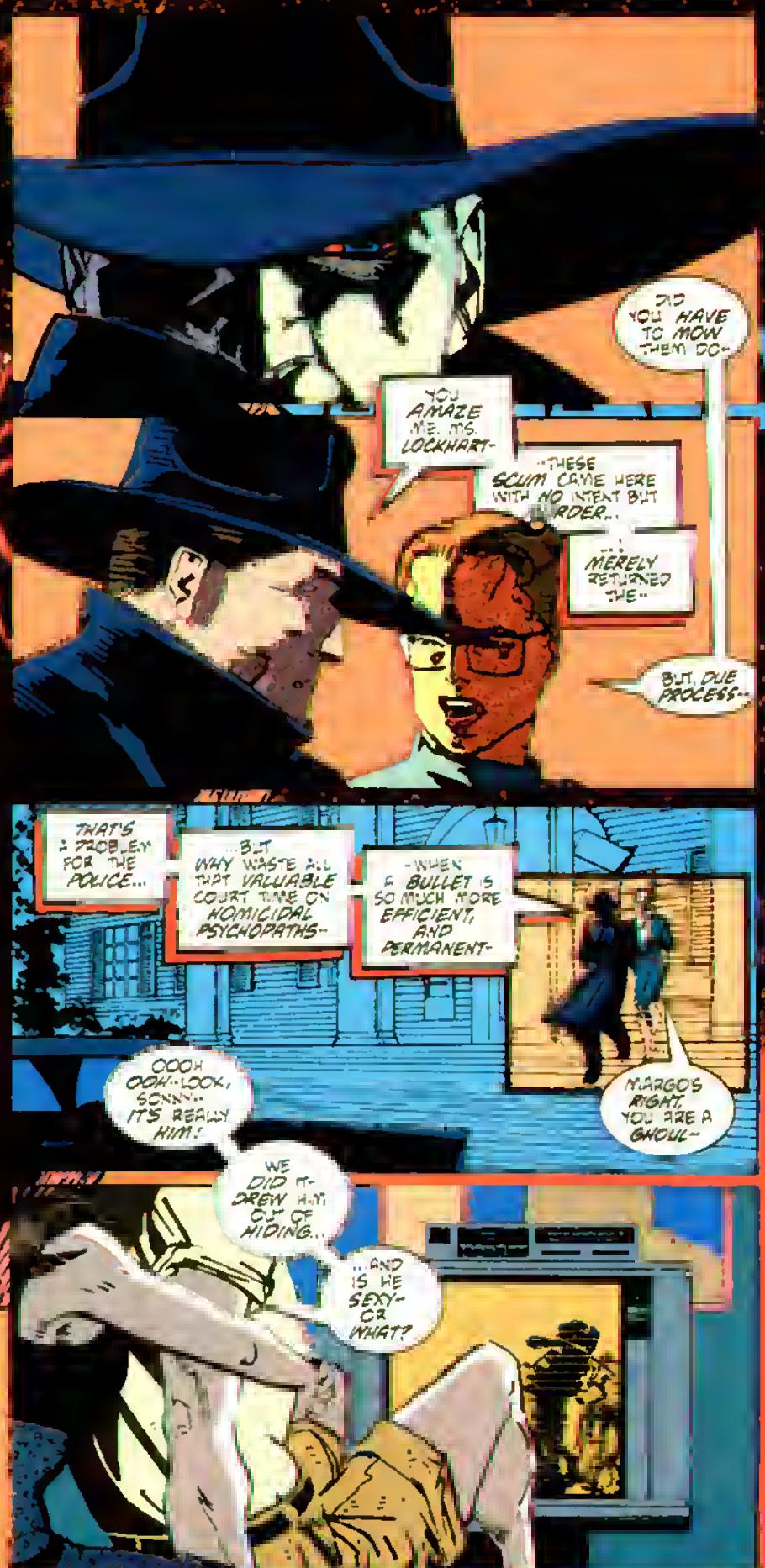


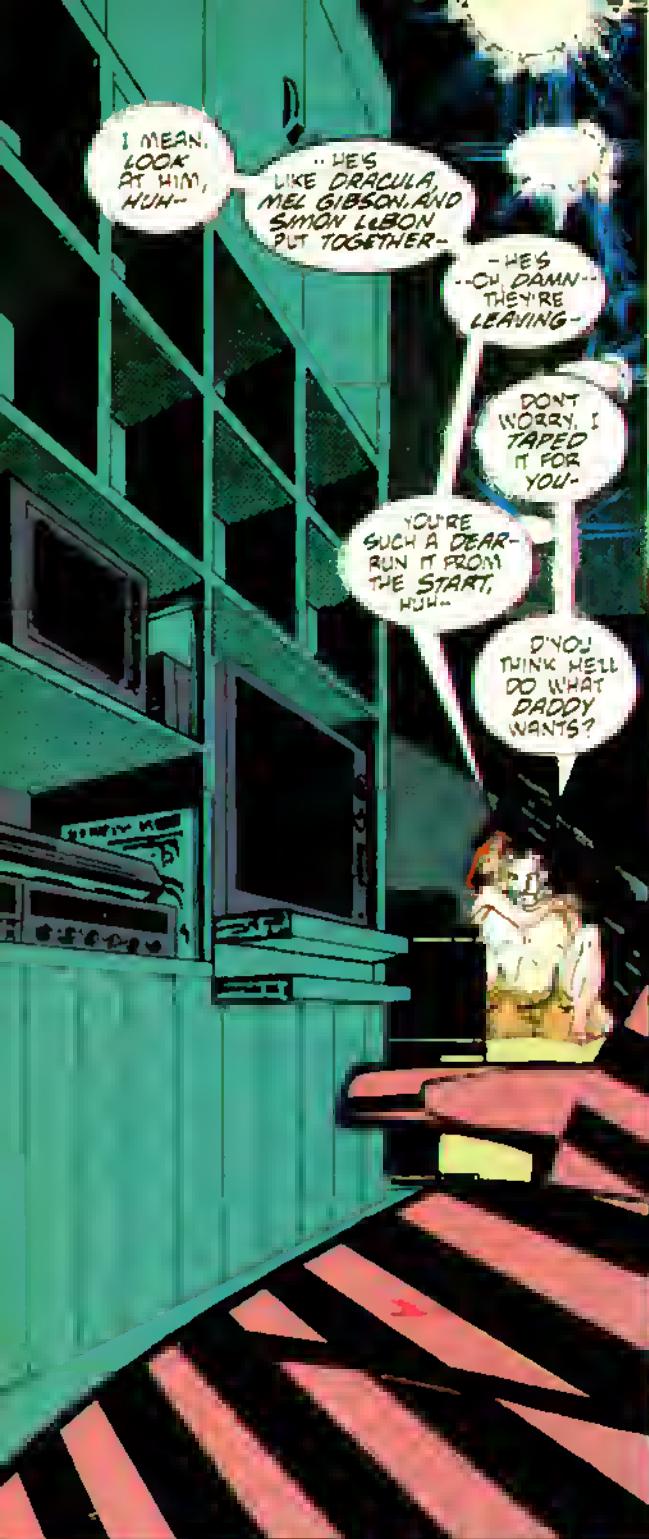


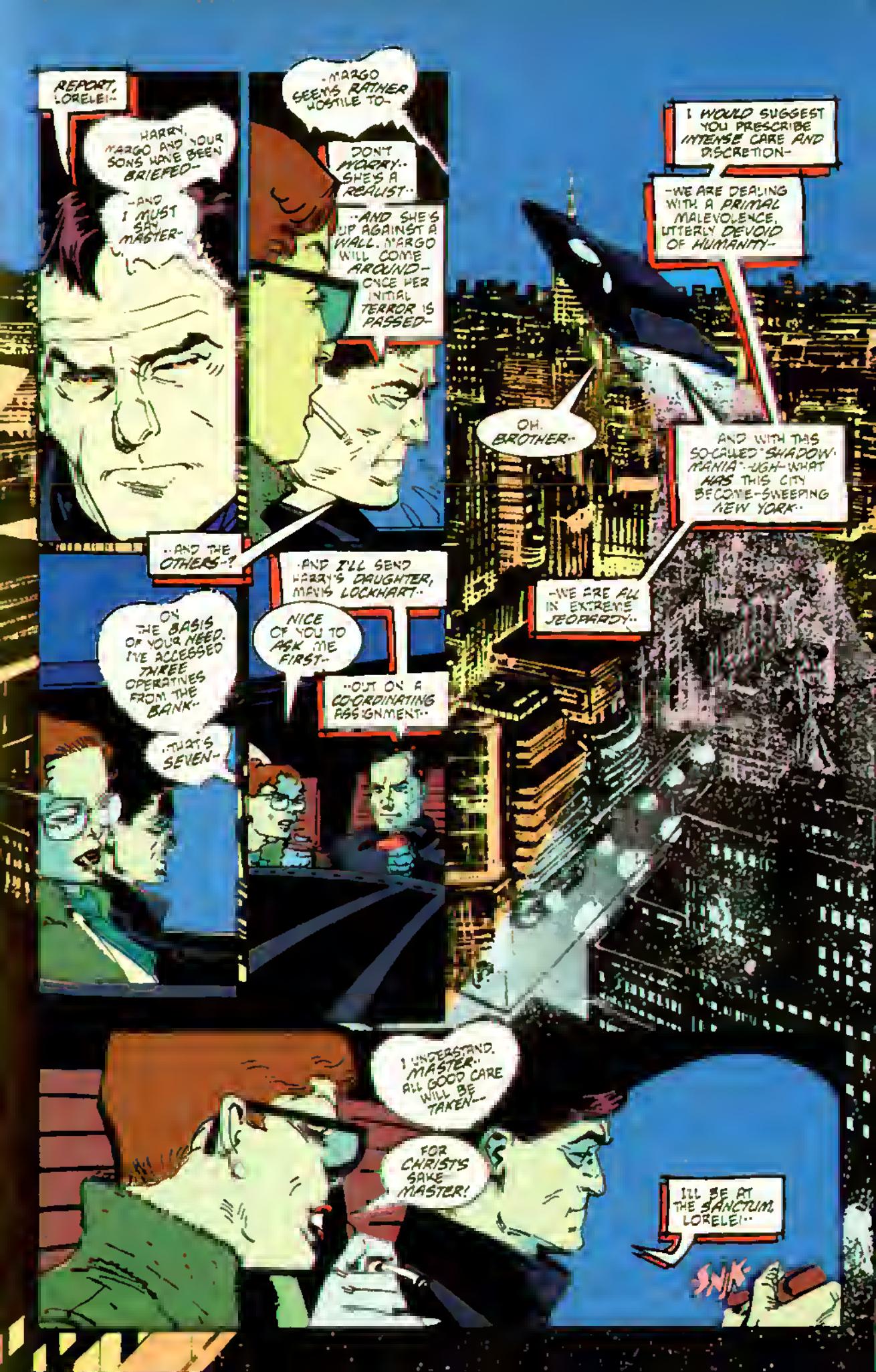


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Davida Buchbinder
Age 43
Employed as
food critic--
New York Examiner--
Tank commander
Arab/Israeli War
Also member
of Irgun
Counterterrorism
Unit



Elton Butterfield
Age 35
Employed as
chemistry teacher/
cliffey coach--
N.Y.C. public school
system intelligence
Officer--
Special Forces
(1971-74) with
specialties in
counterinsurgency--
Industrial Sabotage



Devitt Perez
Age 43
Self-employed
saloon keeper,
ex-organized
crime soldier--
now born-again
Christian--
a sneak, liar, and
cheat





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JUN

I AM
TERRIBLY
DISAPPOINTED,
LORELEI!"

"I UNDERSTAND
THESE AGENTS ARE
UNTESTED IN THE
FIELD—

-BUT MY
SONS!

YES,
EVERYONE
HIT A STONE
WALL—

"WHOEVER
IS BEHIND THIS
HAS SPREAD A
LOT OF HUSH
MONEY
AROUND..."

WHICH
ANSWER'S QUESTIONS
UNTO ITSELF..."

"THE
"SHADOWMANIA"
ANGLE REMAINS
UNEXAMINED—"

NO, I AM CONVINCED THAT... THAT IS SIMPLY A BORED SPONTANEOUS RESPONSE TO THE DOG DAYS...

...THESE ARE YOUR ORDERS-

-BRING HARRY, MARGO, AND MY SONS IN TO THE SAFE HOUSE ON 25TH STREET.

WHAT SHOULD I DO, MASTER?

I'D LIKE YOU TO REMAIN HERE...

...AS A RESULT OF LORELEI'S BUSINESS CONTACTS THESE TERMINALS ACCESS DIRECTLY INTO THE FILES AT YOUR OLD OFFICE-

-I'D LIKE YOU TO REVIEW THE DATA- SEE IF THERE'S ANYTHING YOU MIGHT HAVE OVERLOOKED...

...THERE MUST BE SOME CONNECTING LINK WE'RE MISSING-

-AS FOR ME-

-MEANWHILE- I WILL DO SOME INVESTIGATING OF MY OWN.

CONSIDER IT DONE.

...I THINK IT'S TIME I VISITED SOME OF MY OLD STOMPING GROUNDS...

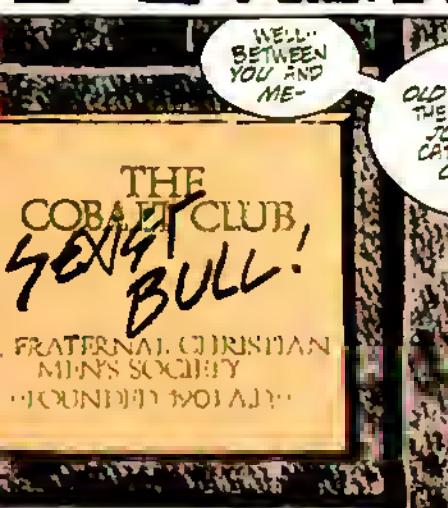
...IN A NEW VARIATION ON AN OLD IDENTITY-

EKAFF! CRANSTON-GRUMPF? EHT?

I KNEW YOUR FATHER BURPE!

HOW IS THE OLD RASCAL?

DEAD. I'M AFRAID- ONE TOO MANY JAPANESE BLOWFISH...



"-CALLED THE
PINK RAT."

"EEEEEW...
DO YOU SMELL
FISH?"

"WHAT'S
YOURS-?"

"SURE
TOOK LONG
ENOUGH."

the Pink Rat socialclub

"A HEINIE
DARK..."

"THE
WHOLE
THING-!"

--THE
WHOLE
THING!"

I'M
LOOKING
FOR
SOMEONE-

"YEAH-
WHO?"

SO,
THEN I SAID-
YOU CAN GIVE
IT AWAY ON
14TH STREET
FOR ALL I GIVE
A DAMN, MISS
THING"

I-
UH-DON'T
KNOW FOR
SURE-

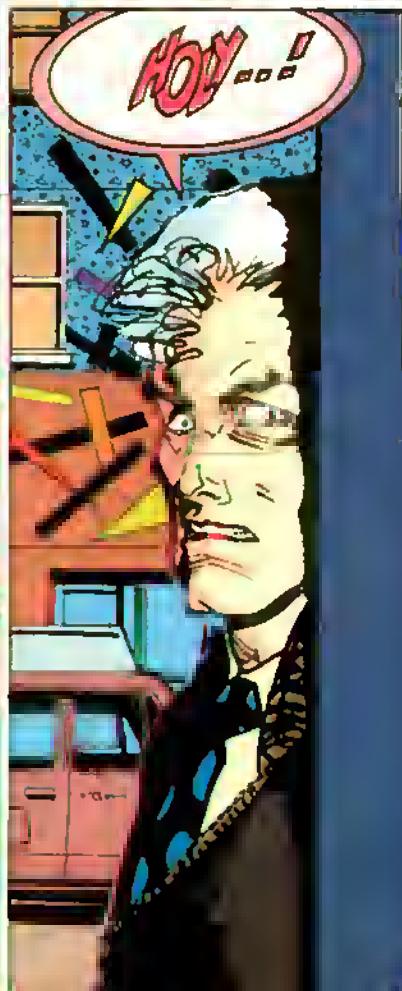
-BUT I'M REAL HOT WITH
A PISTOL--BB IN
PARTICULAR-

"AND I COULD
USE SOME CASH FOR A
TUCK JOB-

YEAH-
SO I GOT
WORK TO
DO...

SO,
I'M LOOKING TO
TOUCH BASE WITH
WHOMEVER'S TRYING
TO KILL THE OLD
PART..."







I THINK
YOU SUCK.
YOU FEEL THE
SAME.

IF I'M
SO HOT
HOW COME
YOU'RE
SO LAME?

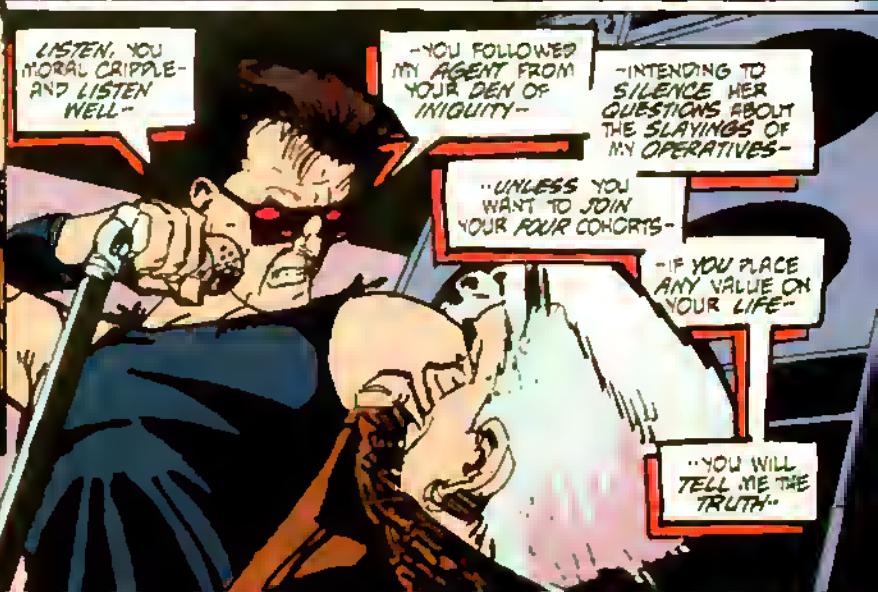
IF YOU
WERE
A GENE
POOL
YOU
OUGHT
TO BE
DRAWN!

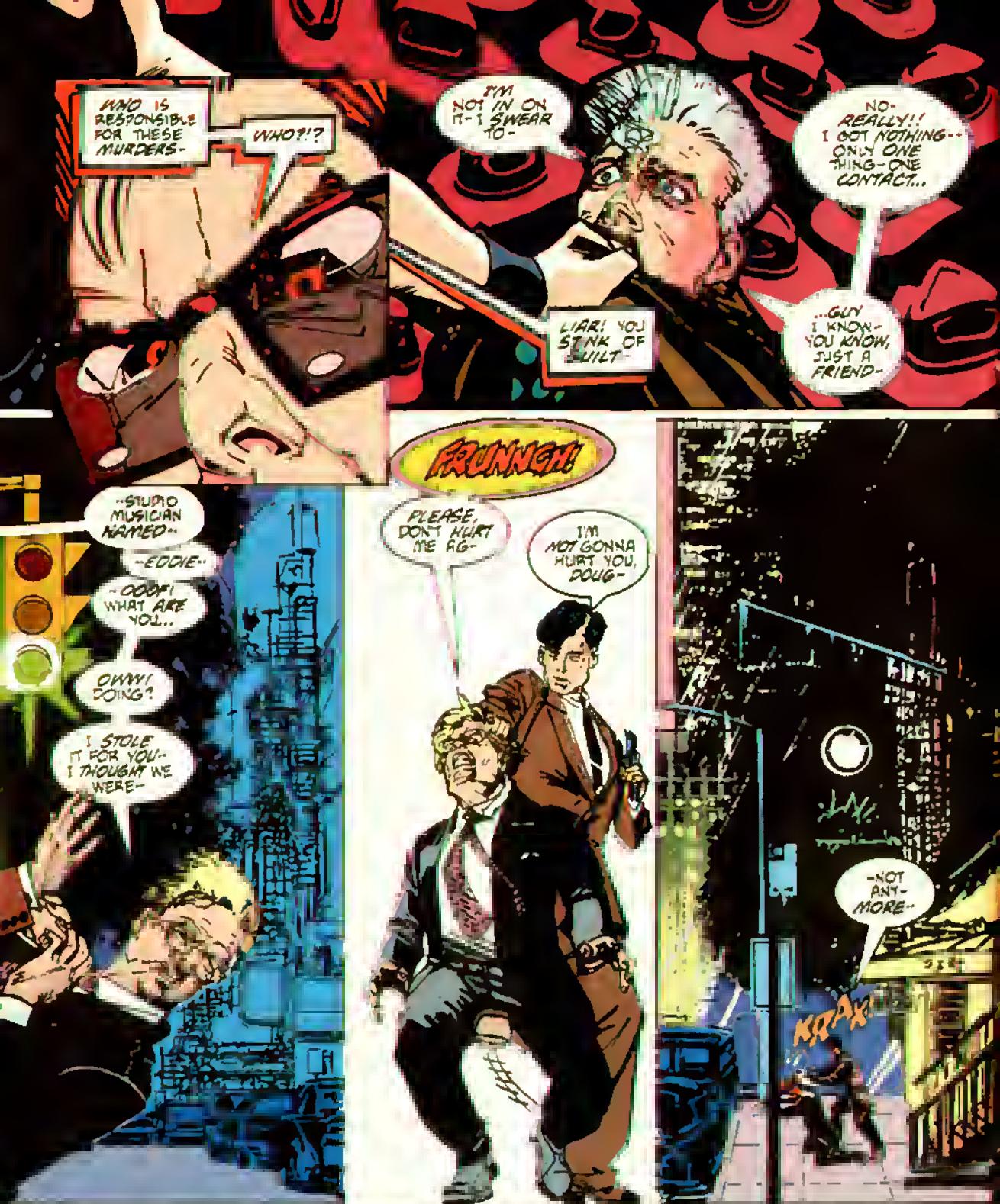
I DON'T
WANT
YOU
DEAD
GIRL
I'D
RATHER
SEE
YOU
MAHVED

SEEING
YOU SUFFER
BRINGS A
GLOW TO MY
FACE!!

THE
GROUND
YOU INHABIT
IS WASTED
SPACE.

SO, HEY,
BABY-DO
THE WORLD A
FAVOR...





INTERNATIONAL
CASINO HOTEL

alpha city comic book

EVENING,
MR. SPARKS-
YOU'RE
LATE...

YEAH,
KUWAK, I
KNOW-

-IS
MAYNOCK
PISSED?

NAH-
HE'S IN THE
VIDEO ROOM
WITH SONNY
AND THE
MISSUS.

NO,
NO-MORE-
YOU KNOW-
PLANT-



LIKE
THIS,
PREZ?

YEAH-
THAT'S IT-
TERRIFIC...

NOW
WRIGGLE
YOUR BUTT
JUST A LIT-
GREAT-

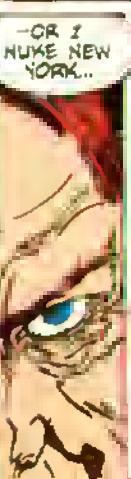
THIS IS WHAT AMERICA
WANTS-

-A COMBINATION OF
"DR. STRANGELOVE," "THE
STORY OF O," AND "LET'S
MAKE A DEAL."

BUT,
HEY... YOU
WANTED THE
BEST-
-AND
WIKE THE
OLD DEAD
FAT GAY USED
TO SAY ON
TV-

SONNY
I'M HATE,
MR.
MAYNOCK.





next:
BROTHERS in BLOOD!